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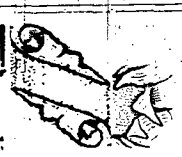

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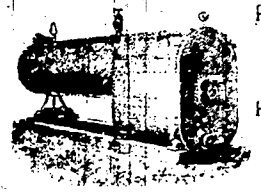

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Probability of Activities Again Commencing at the Empress Mine.

There is a strong probability that the Empress mine at Jack Fish, in which [illegible] will be reopened [illegible] Mr. Brent, who has lately examined the Empress and other properties at Jack Fish is favorably impressed with the prospects and says that by the ultimatum of electric energy and the operation of the mines on a large scale a Canadian "Homestake" may be developed.

OTTAWA.—Lord and Lady Minto, left for Montreal yesterday on a three weeks' visit.

[illegible] of the Canadian Pacific Railway Dam and Dalmacks Point which will ultimately be brought to supply power to the mines in the Kawartha district.

In spite of this being a "wooden" country, as the Americans persistently call it, there is a great deal of [illegible] and [illegible] in our midst.

Beyond the spectacle side of the question of a cheap coal [illegible] there is the common sense, or economic side. It certainly is cost wood and coal [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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ENERGY.

How pleasing it is to come in contact with an earnest and energetic man who believing that he has a mission in life to fulfil, is applying every energy he possesses in order to do so. Doubtlessly you see him making mistakes, guilty of grave errors of judgment, yet you feel that he is dicipling himself and strengthening his powers by using them. Just as the dull indolent man benumbs everything around him into inactivity, and slumber so the energetic man animates and arouses his companions, breathes hope and confidence into their lives and leads them onward to the heights that their own ambition would never have led them to climb.

Wisdom should govern energy just as the engineer should control his engine, but wisdom once decided on a certain activity energy should never fail. But from whence comes this energy, this steam which turns the weary wheel of routine duty? Comes it not from the fire within where hope is burning brightly, the fire itself being the emblem of purity?

"It is better to wear out than to rust out," and oh the rusting out of some people is so distasteful. The pleasure derived from an active energetic and useful life is the greatest pleasure we can aspire to. The highest freedom we can enjoy is found in conforming to the laws existing for our own government. Nature demands a useful life and to disobey is to be a slave indeed.

Energy requires self conquest and self conquest often implies sacrifice. The sweetest pleasure which we can experience is derived from genuine costly sacrifice and so energy leads to this. Exalt my motive and improve my judgment but hinder me not when with fixed purpose and impetous will I set out to do the duties and responsibilities of life.—Independence.

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I have taken Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for palpitation of the heart and shattered nerves and for both troubles have found great relief.—Mrs. W. Ackert, Ingersoll, Ont.

FEELS SPLENDID NOW.

Before taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I was all run down, could not sleep at night and was terribly troubled with my heart. Since taking them I feel splendid. I sleep well at night and my heart does not trouble me at all. They have done me a world of good.—Jas. D. McLeod, Hartsville, P.E.I.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is to be hoped they have no fuel question in Dawson City. The thermometer there was 11 below yesterday.

While the public are sympathizing with the strikers and the mine owners, during the strike, the latter can now offer their sincere condolence to the public, when they think of the price that has to be paid for coal.

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CLASS 3.— For the best essay written by boy or girl between the age of 10 and 12 years.—FIRST PRIZE—$3.00 SECOND PRIZE—$1.50. THIRD PRIZE—$1.00. Extra prize for neatness of work $1.00.

CLASS 1.—Essay not to exceed more than 300 words
CLASS 2.—Essay not to exceed more than 200 words
CLASS 3.—Essay not to exceed more than 100 words.

All essays for this competition must be mailed to the KING CASH STORES on or before the 10th day of December. The names of the competitors must not be written on the essay but must be written on a separate slip of paper and pinned to the essay. All essays must be accompanied by a letter from the parents or guardians of the competitor stating the age and that the essay is entirely the work of the child without the assistance of any older person.

The essays will be submitted without the names of the competitors, to a committee of gentlemen, whose names will be published later and the result of their judgment will be published in the local papers.

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BEE BRAND ORANGE PEKOE CEYLON TEA.

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WOMAN'S WORK.

OFTEN LEADS TO [illegible] DOWN IN THE [illegible]

Severe Headaches, [illegible] Dizziness, Palpitation, Heart and Other Distressing Symptoms Follow.

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Yorkton Man Says it is Caused by Communistic Literature.

[illegible] Milwaukee and St Paul Railway has resumed its famous Sunshine Route through Pullman

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District of Rainy River.

TO WIT:

By virtue of a warrant issued by the Mayor, under the Corporate Seal of the Town of Rat Portage, to me directed, bearing date the 25th day of August, 1902, commanding me to levy on the lands mentioned below for arrears of taxes due thereon, with the costs, I hereby give notice that unless such arrears and all costs be sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of the taxes and costs thereon, at the Town Hall, in the said Town of Rat Portage, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of DECEMBER, A.D. 1902, at the hour of TEN o'clock in the forenoon.

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Description of Property to be Sold For Taxes.	Situate	Frontage or Otherwise.	Amount of Taxes in Arrears.	Costs and Fees.	Total.
Lot 18, Plan M5	Grove	50x150	$ 21.23	$ 2.06	$ 23.29
" 131, Block 2	Second	50x150	110.57	4.95	115.52
" 10, " 1	Water	100x120	237.97	7.45	245.52
Quarter of 3, Block 1	Main	16x200	86.65	3.68	90.31
Lot 200, Block 2	Lot, N21	50x150	81.70	3.54	85.24
" 10, Lot, 10P	Coney Island		13.13	1.88	15.39
" 209, Block 3	Sixth	50x150	19.94	2.00	21.94
" 2, Lot, 10P	Coney Island		13.37	1.86	15.23
" 91, Block 1	Sixth	50x150	12.65	1.82	14.47
" 99, Block 3	Fourth	25x150	81.53	3.02	84.15
Lots 25, 27 and 28, Lot 10P	Coney Island		25.35	2.15	27.50
" 175 and 176, Block 1	Lot, N21	100x150	13.40	1.85	15.25
" 193 and 194, Block 1	"	do	26.29	2.10	28.45
" 9, Block 5	East Third	50x150	55.72	2.93	58.65

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CANADIAN AND AMERICAN BANKS.

In Canada, the chartered banks have an average circulation equal to 75 per cent. of capital, against only little over 50 in the United States. Canadian notes are not based on the Government bonds but they are fully protected, they are a first charge on asset, usually 10 to 12 times the amount of the circulation, on unearned capital, which could provide a further sum 20 per cent, guaranty fund deposited with the Government. For every $100 of notes, there is over $1,000 provided to ensure their payment.

This system has proved itself automatically expensive and contractive. the American system, based on the unprofitable and cumbersome pledge of bonds, make a bank's note issue dependent on the amount of bonds it holds, not on the demand of the money market. The contrast is shown by the fact that between July 31, and October 31, 1901, in harvest time, Canadian circulation increased $9,006,801 from $89,947,978, while no American circulation, expanded but $1,159,211 from $827,059,373.

As to the resort to borrowing bonds at 2 per cent interest, banks are not charitable institutions that they should take the trouble of borrowing bonds and issue notes at a sacrifice. Such bonds are not the actual property of the borrower, and hence afford no real security, and are a financial blot. How the American system weighs on the banks may be seen from the following figures: N.Y. banks, capital $90,900,000; circulation, $44,768,300.38 per cent. Can. banks capital $70,270,408; circulation $55,035,791, 78 per cent

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MARCONI MAKING TESTS.

WIZARD COMMENCES A SERIES OF EXPERIMENTS AT FAMEL HEAD

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 17.—Marconi this morning began making tests between his fixed station at Table head and the cruiser Carlo Alberta in the harbor.

The cruiser will later move out to sea carrying on the tests meanwhile until she reaches England. An attempt will be made to pick up the station at Polhdu, Cornwall.

FOUND DEAD.

HARRY ROSS FELL HEAD FOREMOST DOWN A CHUTE INTO A CAR OF GRAIN.

Kincardine, Ont., Nov. 17.—Harry Ross, a young man employed by the farmer's elevator, was found dead at an early hour this morning. Men were loading grain on cars and Ross was shovelling into the chute, being alone in the building. He is supposed to have been seized with a weak spell and have fallen head-foremost into the grain, life being extinct when he was discovered.

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OFTEN LEADS TO A BRIEAL DOWN IN HEALTH.

Severe Headaches, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, Palpitation of the Heart and Other Ills Dressing Simple Fellow.

Woman's cares about the household are many and often worrying, and it is no wonder that the health of so many give way under the strain. So weak, tired-out depressed women everywhere, the story of Mrs. Geo. L. Horton, the wife of a well-known farmer living near Fenwick, Ont., will come as a message of hope. To a reporter who interviewed her on the subject, Mrs. Fenwick said—"Yes, I am quite willing to give my testimony to the great good that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done me, as my experience may help some other sufferer. A couple of years ago my health began to give away, and I suffered from anaemia, with most of the depressing symptoms of that terrible trouble. I became much emaciated, had distressing headaches and a very poor appetite. At first I was of the opinion that the trouble would pass away, but in this I was mistaken, as it continued to grow much worse. My heart palpitated violently at the least exertion, and rest at night was [illegible]. I had a bad cough so that I was scarcely able to do [illegible] the house. An aunt [illegible] had been ill had with [illegible] Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and recommended to health, and I determined to try the pills a trial. After [illegible] a few boxes, I noticed a decided improvement in my condition, and after using the pills for a few weeks the trouble had completely left me. I could sleep well at night, the cough left me, the headache ceased, my appetite returned, and I could again perform my household duties with ease. I shall always feel grateful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me, and strongly recommend them to other ailing women."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have accomplished just such good results in thousands of other cases among all ages, men and women, and sufferers from any of the numerous ailments resulting from poor watery blood who will give these pills a fair trial will soon be on the high road to health and strength. Imitations are sometimes offered by unscrupulous dealers, who care more for their own profit than for their customers' health. Be sure that the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," is found on the wrapper around every box you buy. If your dealer does not keep these pills, send to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and they will be mailed post paid at 50c. per box or six boxes for $2.50

DOUKHOBOR'S TROUBLES

Yorkton Man Says it is Caused by Communistic Literature.

James T. Richardson, of Yorkton, blames communistic literature for the recent troubles among the Doukhobors.

In a recent interview he said—"Pamphlets written in the United States by agitators of the Utopian ideas, initiated the movement, and the fanatical notions advanced were caused by their [illegible] and other misguided leaders, who appear to have eloquence and power without the common sense which is an essential with such qualities.

"These leaders," Mr. Richardson said, "would have led the poor people to their death if strong measures had not been adopted to stop their foolish march.

Mr. Richardson added that the people of Yorkton, were not by any [illegible] alarmed by the visit of the Doukhobors because they were accustomed with their peaceful disposition.

WINNIPEG'S POPULATION.

SHOWS INCREASE OF 6000 OVER LAST YEAR, SAYS DIRECTORY MAN.

James Henderson of the Henderson Directory Company of Winnipeg, Vancouver and Victoria, is in the city. He estimates that the present directory census of Winnipeg will show a population of 58,000 an increase of 6,000 over last year. The hub of the great western wheat country is just on the edge of a boom, he thinks which will not be a mere inflation, but steady progress as the surrounding country develops. He is naturally enthusiastic over the prospects of another transcontinental railway. There is room for three or four, when one considers that only about one-seventieth of the wheat producing land of Manitoba is under cultivation and the C. P. R. and the G. N. R. are kept busy hauling away this year's yield.

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Sheriff's Sale of Lands

District of Rainy River.

TO WIT:—

Under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the High Court of Justice and to me directed at the suit of John Gardner and Co., Plaintiffs, against the Tycoon Mining and Development Company of Ontario, Limited, Defendants, I have seized and taken into execution and will offer for sale by Public Auction at my office, in the Court House in the Town of Rat Portage, in the District of Rainy River, on Thursday the Twenty-Second day of January, A. D., 1903, at 12 o'clock noon: The following property; all the estate, right, title and interest of the Tycoon Mining and Development Company of Ontario, Limited, in to or out of the following Free hold lands which are all situate in the said District of Rainy River:—

(1) Freehold Parcel 1135, being Islands D. 218 containing 3 acres, D. 220, containing 1 acre, D. 221 containing 1 acre situate on Bag Bay of Shoal Lake, West of the Lake of the Woods.

(2) Parcel 2025 Location J. E. S. 51 being the land under the water of Bag Bay, surrounding Islands, D 219, D. 220, D. 221, containing 2½ acres.

Titles to the above are under the Land Titles Act.

JOHN W. HUMBLE
SHERIFF OF THE DISTRICT OF RAINY RIVER

SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
RAT PORTAGE, OCT. 11th 1902.

AUSTRALIA.—Ninety-six persons were drowned in the wreck of the steamer Elingamite, off the coast of Australia.

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" 183 and 191, Block 1	"	do	26.20	2.10	28.45
Lot 11, Block 5	East Third	50x150	35.77	2.00	38.67
S½ 22, Block 3	Fifth	50x 75	25.41	2.14	27.55
Lots 203, 204 and 202, Block 2	Loc. X21	150x150	60.53	3.01	63.54
N½ 6, Block 2	Main	25x150	414.15	12.85	427.00
Lot 16, Plan M3	Grace	50x150	61.87	3.05	64.92
S½ 98, Block 3	Fourth	50x 75	55.88	2.95	58.83
S½ 93, Block 3	Fourth	25x150	55.88	2.95	58.83
Lots 2 and 3, M13	Coney Island	1.11 ac.	39.19	2.50	41.69
" 217 and 218, Block 3	Sixth	100x150	27.74	2.20	29.9
" 188, Block 1	Loc. X21	50x150	45.76	2.83	48.59
" 162, Block 1	Loc. X21	50x150	6.76	1.75	8.5
N½ 22, Block 3	Fifth	50x 75	33.99	2.50	36.49
Lots 87 and 88 Block 1	Loc. X21	100x150	36.63	2.42	39.05
Lots 205, 206, 207, 254, 255 and 256, Block 2	Loc. X21		87.50	3.66	90.2
Lots 83, 84 and 85, Plan M17	M. and O. Loc.		58.30	2.66	61.2
Lots, 88 and 89		93 ac	245.42	7.64	253.06
1-5 int. in Loc. X110		25 ac	80.26	3.50	83.86
Pt. Loc. D56	Coney Island	2.95 ac	59.01	3.00	62.01
Int. W½ Loc. 41SP		12.28 ac	86.07	3.65	89.72
Pt. Loc. D57	Coney Island		57.23	2.93	60.16
S Pt. of Loc. 12IP, Plan M50		48 ac	537.72	16.46	554.18
Block H, Loc. K9		16.4 ac	60.83	3.14	63.97
Preston's Location		19 ac	156.58	5.50	162.08
Location D59		4 ac	78.37	3.50	81.87
S. Lot 20, Block 3	Fifth	50x150	33.99	2.40	37.39

All the above lands are patented.

D. H. CURRIE, Treasurer, Town of Rat Portage.

First published in the Miner September 5th, 1902.

MAYOR'S WARRANT.

D. H. Currie, Treasurer of the Town of Rat Portage:

Town of Rat Portage, District of Rainy River, Province of Ontario, To Wit:

You are hereby authorized and directed to levy upon the lands described in the several lists hereunto annexed, the arrears of taxes due thereon and all the costs and charges authorized by statute in that behalf, and to proceed in the sale of said lands for said arrears of taxes and costs as the law directs.

As witness my hand and the Seal of the Corporation of the Town of Rat Portage this 25th day of August, in the year of our Lord 1902.

D. G. CAMERON, Mayor.

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Hockey Talk.

by "THE PUCK."

There seems to be great consternation up "Portage and Brandon way" regarding the decision of the council of the M. N. W. Hockey Association. Evidently they seem to have got a move on as they are both enlarging and rebuilding their rinks, up to the standard association requirements, so that there can be no kick from the other clubs who are used to large rinks, properly lighted and cauit.

The Montreal Star says:—"Our Tommy Phillips is going to wear a Montreal uniform this winter. Bye the way, Tom knows a few about the corners of the game and will no doubt show some of the easterners this he can "go up the line and cut ice" with the best of them.

There are making quite a howl down Montreal way just now about "Dicky Boone" going to Pittsburg, to play with the "Bankers Team", but we have every reason to believe that its only paper talk as they can hardly afford to let such a valuable man go away, just now anyway.

But speaking of the game here, I might say that Capt. Tommy Harper is, as we know, one of these quiet young men who says little, but saws wood all the while," and we have reason to believe that he has something up his sleeve in the way of the lineup of the senior "bunch." Of course there is "Ginty" who is as chuck full of energy as ever and can be counted on to score, when necessary and then there is Matt Brown, who keeps his garden mighty clean, also Roxy Beaudro, Sox Gritts and Billy Martin who go to make up a fast quartette of forwards. Let me not forget "Jimmy Fraser" Gordon the Conductor Fraser, who has his eye on the puck just as soon as the grain rush is over it has been whispered that Freddy Dalmage is coming back to his old post in goal. It's a cinch that with this lineup the boys are certain to make their mark in the senior series. In the meantime we're waiting for the first match, so that we can go and root for the boys.

It don't look any too promising for the rink yet, as the weather continues mild, but just as soon as it does get cold, we expect to see the boys in red and white out chasing the rubber disc for all they are worth. They've got to get a move on this year, and there's no "idle dream."

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GOING TO NEW ONTARIO.

Government Makes Arrangements for Settling 12,000 Americans.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 17.—At today's meeting of the Ontario cabinet the proposals of a syndicate represented by J. F. Egan, of Rock Island, Illinois, and Judge Utt, of Chicago, to place 12,000 American settlers on Agricultural lands in the New Ontario, was accepted, and the agreement will be signed in a few days time.

The Government will set apart 12,000,000 acres of crown lands in fractional sections from time to time, according to the needs of the company.

The settlers will come in on the usual terms and the syndicate proposes to makes its profit by loaning money to them for the dues on the land, for erection of buildings and for the purchase of stock.

The agreement contains special safeguard as to the character of the settlers to be brought in.

BREACH OF PROMISE.

AMELIA A. ARMIT, SUING J. C. SHEPHERD— YOUNG WOMAN LIVED HERE.

Minneapolis, Nov 18.—The breach of promise case of Amelia A Armit against J. C. Shepherd, is now on trial before Judge Harrison, and a jury. Miss Armit was a stenographer at Winnipeg, and alleges that she and Mr Shepherd plighted their troth at Fort Frances, that afterward he deserted and jilted her, and as compensation she demands $10,000 The case is likely to attract some attention as the defendant is a member of a well-known and wealthy St. Paul family, and every seat was taken in the opening at the court room. The original claim was for $5,000 but the amended complaint asks for $10,000.

The complaint recites that on the 4th of March, in Ontario, the defendant and the plaintiff agreed to get married at an early date. The marriage never took place. There is a disputed point of a girl in the case, and it is probably because of this fact that the amount in the original complaint was changed. The plaintiff in the case is well-known in Winnipeg, having lived for several years in that place. She came from Fort Frances, where she was born, and where her father is in business. She taught a Sunday School class for years in a prominent church there. Shepherd was in the employ of Mackenzie and Mann as purchasing agent.

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FROZEN IN AN OPEN BOAT.

HAMILTON BOYS SPEND ING NIGHT—HALFORD CY DEAD

Hamilton Oct 11—Halford Marcy, [illegible]-year-old [illegible] of Mr. Andrew Marcy, 165 Bold street, took his life last night through exposure in a boat on the b. He and Claude and Ernest Stewart, started to row back to the city in an old boat. The The younger of the Stewart boys is only about seven years of age. On their way toward the city they became frightened with cold, and finally their boat partially filled with water. They struggled on desperately until they reached Hecklebeerty Point, became almost unconscious from exhaustion. About [illegible] o'clock the Stewart boys were found in an old

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DR. D. MARSHALL, Dentist, Rice Block, Main St., Rat Portage. Office hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

J. M. McFARLANE, L.D.S., D.D.S. Office, Bank of Ottawa Building, Cor. Main and Fort Streets, Rat Portage.

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BIRD & MacGILLIVRAY, Barristers, Solicitors, etc. Imperial Block, Rat Portage, Ont. J. Edward Bird. J. F. MacGillivray.

THOMAS R. FERGUSON, Barrister, Solicitor, Conveyancer, Etc., Rat Portage, Ont.

ALLAN McLENNAN, Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, etc. Office over Bank of Ottawa, Brydon Block, Rat Portage. Money to Loan

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We've heard it whispered that there are a few swanky men with the hockey stick working in town this winter. It wouldn't be a bad move on the part of the committee of management to extend a general invitation to such men to get out and get in the game as soon as the ice puts in an appearance.

By the way, Portage is counting on having the handy Mr. Morrison this season. I wonder if "Dutchy" knows how many clubs expect to have him play goal for them. We hardly think he will come west anyway, as goalkeepers are scarce down east just at present.

There is some talk of two hockey teams composed of ladies, being formed in Rat Portage this winter. It is to be hoped that they will not back down at the last moment as is reported they did at a carnival held some time ago, when the boys had to put on the skates and clean the ... snow off the ice.

CANADIAN MARCONI COMPANY.

APPLIES FOR PROVINCIAL CHARTER, AND HAS CAPITAL OF $5,000,000

The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co of Canada has applied to the Ontario government for a provincial charter. It will be granted. The capital of the company is $5,000,000. The provisional directors are Sir ... Brown, banker, New York; James ... Greenshields, K. C., Montreal; Walter Barwick, K. C., Toronto; Henry C. Osborne, broker, Toronto; John Payne, accountant, Toronto.

A company is formed for the purpose of acquiring the patents and the rights of Marconi and of acquiring any rights that might grow out of them. The company will be the parent company for Canada, and subsidiary concerns may be formed later on to take up different branches of the enterprise. It is proposed to go into the land telegraphy soon. Secrecy in the messages has been obtained and it is impossible to intercept them, it is claimed.

The company is an off-shoot of the English company, and it is claimed that it has all the ... British capital behind it.

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MENTAL FACULTIES STRONG.

MRS. MARY McDONALD, THE OLDEST LIVING PERSON IN AMERICA.

Philadelphia, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Mary McDonald, familiarly known as "Grandmam" McDonald, and believed to be the oldest living person in America, celebrated her 132nd birthday today in the Home of the Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, in West Philadelphia.

Mrs. McDonald spent her youth on a farm in the vicinity of Valley Forge and claims to have a distinct recollection of giving food to Washington's army soldiers during their winter of suffering and hardships at Valley Forge camp. The old woman's sight has entirely failed her, but her mental faculties apparently are as strong as they ever were.

END TO DOMESTIC TROUBLES.

ERNEST MOIR, OF MONTREAL SHOOTS HIMSELF AT HIS HOME.

Montreal, Nov. 17.—E. Ernest Moir, secretary of the Montreal Coal and Trading Company, shot and killed himself at his residence, 3 Mark St. this morning, about 10 o'clock. Domestic troubles are said to have been the cause of the tragedy. He was 50 years of age.

CZARWITCH FATALLY ILL.

GRAND DUKE MICHAEL IN A VERY WEAK CONDITION.

Paris, Nov. 16.—The Rappel publishes a despatch from St. Petersburg, which says the Grand Duke Michael, the czarwitch, is in a very weak condition. His Russian physicians pronounce the grand duke's condition to be hopeless unless the climate of the Crimea should work a miracle.

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VETERN FREE MASON DEAD.

HELD A RECORD OF MEMBERSHIP AND PROMINENCE.

Binghampton, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Col. Clinton F. Paige, a 33rd degree Mason, died at his home here today, aged 75 years. He held a record of membership and prominence rarely equalled in the annals of Free Masonry in this state. Col. Paige attended the National convention at Providence two months ago, and after returning home his health gradually failed.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned Ellen Tynan and Raymond Kershaw under the name style, and firm of "R. Kershaw" as Hotel Keepers at Gold Rock, Ontario, under articles of partnership dated in February, 1902, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The said Raymond Kershaw is entitled to all the partnership, assets, business, and good-will, accounts, credits, goods, chattels, and effects, and will continue the business for his own benefit.

All accounts owing to the said firm are to be paid to the said R. Kershaw, who will pay all the liabilities properly incurred in connection, with said business under the said articles of partnership.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1902.

RAYMOND KERSHAW,
Pr APPLETON, Atty.
ELLEN TYNAN.

S. S. CUMMINS.
Witness, E. D. VIPOND.

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We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fairplay chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Showsbee tags to January 1st, 1902.

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APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate The Lac Suel, Rat Portage and Keewatin Electric Railway with power to construct and operate a system of Electric Railways beginning at some point at or near Lac Suel in the District of Rainy River and Province of Ontario and continuing in a southerly direction through the town of Rat Portage and Townships of Keewatin to a point at or near Shoal Lake of the same Province and District aforesaid with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines and electric power upon and along and in connection with the said Railways and to sell power for mining, dwelling and other manufacturing purposes.

C. W. CHADWICK,
Main St. Rat Portage,
(for the applicants.)

Dated at Rat Portage, this 3rd day of November, 1902.

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TWO WEEKS MORE

before our Store enlargements will be Complete, we are Disappointed of Course; in fact we would like to be in it now that we might find room to do Justice to our Magnificient Stock. We said "Two Weeks More," so the Contractor says—but—well everybody is so busy in Rat Portage you know, just up to the eyes in work and THAT'S OUR CASE EXACTLY.

"UP TO THE EYES IN BUSINESS."

Our store is thronged from early morning until closing time with happy and contented buyers. Before moving moving into our new Store those TWO WEEKS will be record breakers at THE GLASGOW HOUSE here are some Seasonable Bargains that mean money Saved for you.

Ready to Wear Garments

Heavy Mercerized Sateen Underskirts regular price $2.50. SALE PRICE $1.90.
Flannelette Blouses all this seasons styles regular price $1.25. SALE PRICE 90c.
Ready to Wear Hats---We have still a good assortment of those and not any two alike. For this two weeks sale we will give 25 per cent off on all Ladies Ready to Wear Hats.

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Flannelette Blankets full size regular price $100. SALE PRICE 70 cents per pair.
Heavy English Flannelette regular price 12½ cents. SALE PRICE 8 cents per yard.
Check Apron Gingham wide width regular price 15 cents. SALE PRICE 10 cents per yard.
Wrapperette in all the latest blouse patterns regular price 12 cents. SALE PRICE 8 cents per yard.
Grey Blankets heavy weight, regular price $3.25. SALE PRICE $2.50

Dress Goods Department.

Heavy Tweed Dress goods fall wear regular price 30 cents. SALE PRICE 20 cents.
Melton cloth in Black 50 inches wide regular price 50 cents. SALE PRICE 35 cents per yard.
Irish Frieze, 54 in. wide very heavy suitable for unlined Skirts in heather mixtures, regular price $1.25 SALE PRICE 75 cents per yard.
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Local Interest

Mr. C. Jackson, of Toronto is a visitor in town.

Mr. T. R. Ferguson spent a couple of days in Winnipeg last week.

Mr. P. R. Deacon arrived home on Saturday evening.

Capt. J. McKenzie of the Mikado, is in town.

Read the Miner Ad's. They are interesting.

Mrs. A. C. Boyce, Tanner Island, is visiting friends in town.

Everyone is having a bowl at Chas Sterlings' Alley these days. Some of them are taking so many "Highballs" that they are getting knocked out of their pins.

The tea Monday evening in the Clougher Block, under the management of the Ladies of the Humane society was a very successful affair. They will realize in the neighborhood of two hundred dollars from the sale and tea.

The Keenora arrived down on her last trip on Saturday, and is now laying up at the company's docks, along side of the Agwinde. She has had a very successful season, and traffic has been good as the Rainy River route for pleasure seekers, is becoming better known and better advertised each year.

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TAXES

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25th 1902, is positively the last day on which your taxes can be paid without extra charge added. Those applies to all persons who have not received notices as yet.

Each one has had more than fair warning.

Pay no attention to any other date or time any one if you think there is an error in your account have it adjusted, your silence will not do it though, nor will it prevent prompt action on my part.

If you are in arrears then no date of payment is "RIGHT NOW" even the 24th instant is too late.

Nothing within my power will prevent me from returning as Roll to the town as per agreement.

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Fall Suitings...

NOW is the TIME to make your choice of that new fall suit. We have the Newest things in imported goods and our workmanship is acknowledged the best in the district.

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Items of Local Interest

Mr. C. Jackson, of Toronto is a visitor in town.

Mr. T. H. Ferguson spent a couple of days in Winnipeg last week.

Mr. T. R. Deacon arrived home on Saturday evening.

Capt. J. MacKenzie of the Mikado, is in town.

Read the Mines Ad's. They are interesting.

Mrs. A. C. Boyce, Tunnel Island, is confined to her home through illness.

Manager W. A. Weir of the Imperial Bank is on a trip of inspection to Manitoba and territories.

Mr. W. J. Mason, attended the Bachelor's Ball in Winnipeg on Friday evening.

Mr. Geo. Graham of the R. R. Nav. Co., left Monday evening for Fort William.

Miss Anna Rose of Cardston, Alberta, formerly of Rat Portage, is visiting Mrs. D. C. Cameron, Lansdowne.

Mrs. N. Harbottle and family who have been visiting friends in town left for their home in Manchester on Monday morning.

The whist club have re-organized for the season. They met for the first time on Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. Hockley.

Miss Scovil, who is visiting with friends in Winnipeg, was a guest at the Bachelor's Ball on Friday evening.

Mr. Matt. Quinn the popular chef of the Keewora accompanied by his children left for his old home in Parry Sound.

The various camps are being filled up with returning hay-makers and every boat is bustling the "hunk" out to the bush.

Mrs. Parlin and child who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Campbell left for her home in Boston last night.

Mr. Walter Malcom, who has been in the registry office for the past 8 months left for his home in the east this week. His position is filled, by Mr. Richards.

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WANTED.—A Chamber Maid. Fifteen dollars a month. Apply at the Shaw House.

BORN.—On Wednesday, Nov. 11th, to Mrs. T. R. Deacon, a son.

FOR SALE.

THE RESIDENCE OF MR. T. R. DEACON, First street, Solid Brick and Stone the most substantial, convenient and carefully constructed house of its size in Rat Portage. Easily heated, well lighted. No local assessments rate, and non-incumbered. Owing to change of business will sell at a bargain.

T. R. DEACON
Rat Portage.

OH, MY HEAD!
HOW IT ACHES!

NERVOUS
BILIOUS
SICK
PERIODICAL
SPASMODIC
} HEADACHES.

Headache is not of itself a disease, but is generally caused by some disorder of the stomach, liver or bowels.
Before you can be cured you must remove the cause.

Burdock Blood Bitters
will do it for you.

It regulates the stomach, liver and bowels, purifies the blood and tones up the whole system to full health and vigor.

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All taxes are payable at the Collector's office, Matheson street.

A. M. ROSE,
Collector of Taxes
RAT PORTAGE, ONT.,
NOV'R. 17th, 1892.

Mortgage Sale
OF VALUABLE
Dwelling Property.
In The Town of Rat Portage.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Thursday the 15th day of December, A. D. 1892, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon at the Town Hall, the following property, namely—Lots numbered Twenty-one and Twenty-two (21 and 22) in Block Two, (2) in the Town of Rat Portage as shown on plan of said Town certified by J. S. Harris, P. S. L. and registered in the Registry Office at Rat Portage.

The said property is suitably situated on the corner of Second and Martha Streets and upon it is erected a desirable two story frame dwelling house of modern construction and improvements and said to be in good repair.

TERMS.—10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at time of sale and the balance to be paid within thirty days after.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to.

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Solicitors for Vendors.

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A. S. Cuthbert,
Cash Tailor,

Don't You Want

Some SWEETPOTATOES or a supply of the BEST GROCERIES procurable at the LOWEST prices consistant with GOOD goods?

Don't Forget

That my car of WINTER APPLES will be here in about a week.

They will be the best at the LOWEST PRICES.

A. S. Horswill: The Peoples Grocer--Matheson St.

MONTREAL.—Sir William Macdonald, testifying before the tobacco commission at Montreal, expressed an unfavorable opinion of encouraging tobacco growing in Canada, saying the climate was not suited to it.

CHARLOTTETOWN.—A large business building was burned here yesterday, causing a loss of about $56,

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Flannel Shirtings

Four Patterns in a good unshrinkable Flannel worth 40 cents Sells for 40 cents.

WRAPPERS.

A choice line of patterns styles in sateen and costume flannel at $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.25 and $2.75.

MITTS, GLOVES, SHAWLS, BLOUSES, CAPES, in fact all lines of comfortable wearing apparel now in stock.

A Visit Will Convince You.

GARDNER, RICE, McLEOD CO, Limited.